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1046. SHRI PASUMPON TKA. KIRUTTINAM: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state;

(a) whether the Rural Electrification Corporation Limited (REC) propose to carry-out a massive Rs. 700 crores Pumpset Energisation Programme during the current financial year;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) what is the number of pumpsets to toe energised during the cur. rent financial year, State-wi?e and the allocation made to different States; and

(d) what is the number of pump sets energised in the rural areas du ring the last three years and the fin ancial involvement on this therein?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) and (b) The Annual Plan of KEC for the year 1994-95 as approved by the Planning Commission for Rural Elec trification works (including electrification of 3341 villages and energisa. tion of 2.12 lakh pumpsets), stands at Rs. 660 crores. Out of the toal annual target of 2.12 lakh pumpsets about 1-52 lakhs pumpsets are targeted to be energised under" Special Project Agriculture (SPA) Programme.

(c) The number of pumpsets to be energised in each state during 1994. 35 and funds allocated fo Rural Elec-trification (including that for ener. gisation of pumpsets under REC fi nance Scheme) are given in. State ment (see below)

(d) The number of irrigation pump sets energise during last three years L.e. 1991-92 to 1993-94 and funds disbursed by REC for Rural electri fication works during the same pe-riod art as under:—

(Rs. in crores)

Year	No. of pumpsets energised.	Disbursement made by REC(*)
1991-92	3,98,837	487.07
1992-93	3,30,827	379.88
1993-94 (Prov.)	3,23,429	589.76
TOTAL	10,53,093	1456 71

(*)—Thi|s (comprises of disburse-ment made by the REC for RE Normal MNP and SPA programmes under which energisation of pump. sets is taken up by the State Govts.

Elecricity Boards in the REC—fin. a'need scheme areas. While the funds under SPA are allotted sole.for erergisation of pumpsets, those under RS Normal and MNP are provided by the Planning Commission for electrification of villages, load intensification energisation of pumpsets etc.

Statement

Annual Plan 1994-95 *of RLC*

Sl. No.	Name of the State	No. of pumpsets to be energised	Allocation for Rural Electrification works (*) (Rs. in crores)
1	Andhra Pradesh	53000	48.73
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	5.00
3	Assam	0	7.00
4	Bihar	1000	4.50
5	Gujarat	18000	28.82
6	Haryana	5000	9.16
7	Himachal Pradesh	150	3.50
8	Jammu & Kashmir	100	1.50
9	Karnataka	5000	10.00
10	Kerala	1000	5.00
11	Madhya Pradesh	12000	49.00
12	Maharashtra	43000	47.54
13	Manipur	0	10.15
14	Meghalaya	0	6.00
15	Mizoram	0	720
16	Nagaland	0	1.00
17	Orissa	3500	13.00
18	Punjab	4000	10.00
19	Rajasthan	13350	54.93
20	Sikkim	0	00.50
21	Tamil Nadu	40000	37.82
22	Tripura	100	11.00
23	Uttar Pradesh	11769	90.00
24	West Bengal	800	6.11
25	Goa	0	0
26	Delhi	0	0
	TOTAL	211769	477.85

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Kutir Jyoti (Grant)	5.00
Small hydro and other rural generation projects & RE cooperatives	32.00
System Improvement	145.00
GRANT TOTAL	639.85
say	660.00

(*)—This comprises of allocation for RE Normal, MNP and SPA prog- of pumpsets is taken up by the Staet financed scheme areas. While the for energisation of purapsets, those vided by the Planning Commission intensification, energisation of pump- sets etc. made by the Planning Commission Trammes under which) energisation Govts. |Electricity Boards in the KEC- funds under SPA are alocated solely under RE Normal and MNP are pro for electrification of villages load

Use of superior grade non-coking coal In Power Plants

'047. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to sate:

(a) whether it is a fact that in some of the power plants superior grades. A, B and C of non-coking coal are being used;

(b) if so, which are those plants;

(c) how much electricity is being produced using per M.T. of such grades of coal in these plantss against the rated capacity.

(d) what is the Pla'nt LoaJ Factor in such plants; and

(e) what is the pollution level emitted by use of such graded coal, with details?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU): (a) and (b) No power plant is using A grade coal. In the year 1993-94, two power plants viz. Bandel and Saintaldih of WBSEB received C grade coal while Mulajore and New Cossipore power plants of C. E. S. C. received B grade coal.

(c) and (d) The figures, of coal quantity consumed and power generated by above power plants and PLF during the year 1993-94 are enclosed in statement. *(See below)*

(e) While emission level at CESC stations is well within limit, Bandel and Santaldih Thermal Power Staiotas are at .present not meeting the set equirements of emission level. At Bandel ESPs are being replaced and are likely to be commissioned shortly after which it will meet the requirements.. At Santaldir Thermal Power Station, feasibility studies are under progress regarding installation of new emission control equipments.